Humanitarian partners aim to reach 13.1 million people in Yemen with life-saving or protection assistance in 2018. Clusters prioritized populations and geographical areas in acute need where access and operational capacity permits and have included targets in areas where the populations in moderate need are at risk of slipping into acute need. Partners will be working with and through public institutions providing essential basic services to prevent their collapse. For the first time, planning has been undertaken at district level to ensure the response targets those most in need. 153 partners are contributing to the coordinated response as of December 2017 under this YHRP, requiring US$ 2,96 Billion to reach the targets as displayed below.

1. **Provide life-saving assistance to the most vulnerable people in Yemen through an effective, targeted response.**
2. **Ensure that all assistance promotes the protection, safety & dignity of affected people, and is provided equitably to men, women, boys and girls.**
3. **Support and preserve services & institutions essential to immediate humanitarian action & promote access to resilient livelihood opportunities.**
4. **Deliver a principled, multi-sectoral, coordinated and inclusive hum. response that is accountable to and advocates effectively for the most vulnerable people in Yemen with enhanced engagement of national partners.**

**INCLUSION OF HUMANITARIAN PLUS ACTIVITIES**

Humanitarian needs across the country are driven as much by ongoing conflict and displacement as by underlying economic crisis and collapsing life-saving public services. The Humanitarian Country Team (HCT) is hence widening the scope of this HRP to include a limited range of “humanitarian plus” activities. These include systematic support to lifesaving basic public facilities (Health and WASH) in priority districts to ensure minimum functionality and livelihood activities that help to recover vulnerable households’ livelihoods.
The 2018 HRP includes integrated multi-sector response plans to address intensified risk of famine, disease outbreaks and protracted displacement to address the inter-sector life-saving and livelihood needs in a holistic and complementary manner for a more effective response.

Yemen is facing a cholera outbreak of an unprecedented scale. Health and WASH Clusters are working together to avert a further deterioration of the outbreak.

Number of suspected cases
- <=1,800
- 1,801-4,600
- 4,601-8,200
- 8,201-13,200
- 13,201-23,100

For the first time, clusters have broken down the response targets by modality and will report on the modality ultimately chosen. Market-based response modalities are deemed appropriate for selected clusters. A minimum expenditure basket (MEB) has been endorsed and will inform cash-based programming in 2018.

* This figure only includes direct beneficiaries reached with early recovery activities.

PEOPLE TARGETED VS PEOPLE IN NEED AND PEOPLE IN ACUTE NEED BY GOVERNORATE

PEOPLE IN NEED, TARGETED & REQUIREMENTS PER CLUSTER

INTEGRATED MULTI-SECTOR RESPONSE

PLANNED RESPONSE MODALITIES IN 2018